

UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BEFORE THE PATENT TRIAL AND APPEAL BOARD

EMERSON ELECTRIC CO.,
Petitioner,

v.

SIPCO, LLC,
Patent Owner.

Case IPR2015-01973, Patent 8,013,732 B2
Case IPR2016-00984, Patent 8,754,780 B2

Before LYNNE E. PETTIGREW, STACEY G. WHITE, and CHRISTA P.
ZADO, *Administrative Patent Judges*.

WHITE, *Administrative Patent Judge*.

ORDER
Conduct of the Proceeding
37 C.F.R. § 42.5

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On August 28, 2017, Petitioner filed motions for Donald L. Jackson, Walter D. Davis, Jr., and James D. Berquist to withdraw as Petitioner's counsel in these proceedings. IPR2015-01973, Paper 27; IPR2016-00984, Paper 38. The motions further move to designate Steven Pepe as lead counsel, and to designate James L. Davis, Jr., as backup counsel. *Id.* The motions are accompanied by updated powers of attorney, executed by Petitioner, designating Messrs. Pepe and James Davis as counsel for Petitioner. IPR2015-01973, Paper 28; IPR2016-00984, Paper 39.

Petitioner represents that "Patent Owner has indicated that it does not oppose" Petitioner's motions to substitute counsel in these proceedings. IPR2015-01973, Paper 27, 2; IPR2016-00984, Paper 38,2. The motions are *granted*.

It is

ORDERED that Donald L. Jackson, Walter D. Davis, Jr., and James D. Berquist are permitted to withdraw as counsel for Petitioner in these proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that Steven Pepe is recognized as Petitioner's lead counsel in these proceedings;

FURTHER ORDERED that James L. Davis is recognized as Petitioner's backup counsel in these proceedings; and

FURTHER ORDERED that Petitioner shall file updated mandatory notices by September 29, 2017.

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